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# PROCLAMATIONS



TWEEDSMUIR,  
[L.S.]

CANADA

GEORGE THE SIXTH, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada, and the Members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, and to each and every of you,—GREETING:

## A PROCLAMATION

**W**HEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the twenty-third day of October, 1939, at which time, at Our City of Ottawa, you were held and constrained to appear.

Now KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you and each of you, that on Saturday, the second day of the month of December, 1939, you meet Us, in Our Parliament of Canada, at Our City of Ottawa, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Dominion of Canada and therein to do as may seem necessary. **HEREIN FAIL NOT.**

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. **WITNESS:** Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved John, Baron Tweedsmuir of Elsfield, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Member of Our Order of the Companions of Honour, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our said Dominion, this sixteenth day of October, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine and in the third year of Our Reign.

By Command,

E. H. COLEMAN,  
Under-Secretary of State.

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**AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE,** in Our City of Ottawa, in Our said Dominion, this twenty-seventh day of November, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine and in the third year of Our Reign.

By Command,

E. H. COLEMAN,  
Under-Secretary of State.

TWEEDSMUIR,  
[L.S.]

CANADA

GEORGE THE SIXTH, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada, and the Members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, and to each and every of you,—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION

**W**HEREAS the Meeting of Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the twenty-eighth day of the month of December, 1939. Nevertheless, for certain causes and considerations, We have thought fit further to prorogue the same to Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of the month of January, 1940, so that neither you nor any of you on the said twenty-eighth day of December, 1939, at Our City of Ottawa, to appear are to be held and constrained, for We do Will That you and each of you be as to Us in this matter entirely exonerated; commanding, and by the tenor of these presents enjoining you and each of you, and all others in this behalf interested, that on Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of the month of January, 1940, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at Our City of Ottawa aforesaid, personally you be and appear for the DESPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act and conclude upon those things which in Our said Parliament of Canada, by the Common Council of Our said Dominion, may by the favour of God be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved John, Baron Tweedsmuir of Elsfield, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Member of Our Order of the Companions of Honour, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our said Dominion, this fourteenth day of December, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine and in the Fourth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

E. H. COLEMAN,  
Under-Secretary of State.



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OTTAWA, THURSDAY, 25TH JANUARY, 1940

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This being the day on which Parliament is convoked by Proclamation of the Governor General for the despatch of business, and the members of the House being assembled:—

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House the following letter which he had received:—

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

OTTAWA

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL

15th January, 1940.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will arrive at the main entrance of the Houses of Parliament at 3 p.m. on Thursday the 25th January, and when it has been signified that all is in readiness, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to open the Sixth Session of the Parliament of Canada.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. S. REDFERN,

*Secretary to the Governor General.*

The Honourable Pierre Casgrain,  
The Speaker of the House of Commons,  
Ottawa

A Message was delivered by Major A. R. Thompson, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:—

Mr. SPEAKER,

His Excellency the Governor General desires the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the Chamber of the Honourable the Senate.

The House attended accordingly; and being returned,

Mr. Speaker informed the House that, during the recess, he had received communications from several Members, notifying him that the following vacancies had occurred in the representation, viz:—

Of Wilfrid Girouard, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Drummond-Arthabaska, by resignation.

Of Pierre Emile Côté, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Bonaventure, by resignation.

Of Otto Buchanan Elliott, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Kindersley, by resignation.

Of James Warren Rutherford, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Kent (Ontario), by decease.

Of Joseph Léon Vital Mallette, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Jacques Cartier, by decease.

Of Alexander MacGillivray Young, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Saskatoon City, by decease.

Of the Honourable Fernand Rinfret, Member for the Electoral District of St. James, by decease.

Of Alfred Edgar MacLean, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Prince, by decease.

And that he had issued his Warrants to the Chief Electoral Officer to make out new Writs of Election for the said Electoral Districts, respectively.

#### ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF DRUMMOND-ARTHABASKA

ARTHABASKA,

October 3rd, 1939.

*(Translation)*

Honourable PIERRE CASGRAIN,  
Speaker of the House of Commons,  
Ottawa, Ontario.

Mr. SPEAKER,—Pursuant to Sections 6 and 8, Chapter 145, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, I hereby tender my resignation as Member of the House of Commons of the Dominion of Canada for the Electoral District of Drummond-Arthabaska, wishing that my resignation for aforesaid constituency take effect immediately.

And I have signed such resignation in the presence of the following witnesses: Hon. J. E. Perrault, K.C., barrister, of the Town of Arthabaska, and Charles Robert Garneau, notary, of the Town of Arthabaska.

I would appreciate a prompt reply to this letter of resignation.

WILFRID GIROUARD.

Witnesses:

J. E. PERRAULT,  
C. R. GARNEAU.

## ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BONAVENTURE

NEW CARLISLE,

October 6th, 1939.

*(Translation)*

Honourable PIERRE CASGRAIN,  
Speaker of the House of Commons,  
Parliament Buildings,  
Ottawa, Ont.

Mr. SPEAKER,—Pursuant to Clause b, Section 6, Chapter 145, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, I hereby tender my resignation as Member of the House of Commons for the Electoral District of Bonaventure, Province of Quebec, wishing to resign as representative for aforesaid constituency.

I would appreciate a prompt acknowledgment of such resignation as Member for the constituency of Bonaventure, stating that by virtue of the present letter I am no longer the representative in the House of Commons of the Dominion of Canada for the Electoral District of Bonaventure.

With my best regards, I remain,

Mr. Speaker,

Yours truly,

P. ÉMILE CÔTÉ.

Witnesses:

ALFRED GREENE,  
CHAS. F. GUITÉ.

## ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF KINDERSLEY

11229—97 St.,

Edmonton, Alta.,

October 20, 1939.

Hon. Mr. CASGRAIN,  
Speaker, House of Commons,  
Ottawa, Ont.

DEAR SIR,—The present emergency circumstances in which Canada finds itself seems to demand that each citizen performs his duties to the best advantage of the Dominion and Empire as a whole.

The first most important task is efficient and well experienced executive placed in positions where their services can be rendered effectively.

Having regard to those facts, and considering it in the public interest that some one of vastly more experience in international affairs and perhaps extensive training in active service during the last war, might be persuaded to accept such responsibility, I wish for those reasons to tender my resignation as Member of Parliament for Kindersley Constituency in Saskatchewan.

I am notifying my Constituency accordingly and on their behalf it would be appreciated greatly if the proclamation was issued in sufficient time to permit their having representation in the next session of Parliament.

Yours very truly,

O. B. ELLIOTT.

Witnesses:

M. E. O'FARRELL,  
A. BURTON.

## ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF KENT (ONTARIO)

Dominion of Canada	}	House of Commons
To Wit		

*To the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons:*

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons, for the Electoral District of Kent (Ontario), consequent upon the death of Dr. J. W. Rutherford, the Member therefor.

Given under Our Hands and Seals, at the City of Ottawa, this twenty-sixth day of October, 1939.

N. A. McLARTY (L.S.),  
*Member for the Electoral District of Essex West,*

W. D. EULER (L.S.),  
*Member for the Electoral District of Waterloo North.*

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## ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF JACQUES CARTIER

Dominion of Canada	}	House of Commons
To Wit		

*To the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons:*

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons, for the Electoral District of Jacques-Cartier (Montreal), in the Province of Quebec, consequent upon the death of J. L. V. Mallette, Esquire, the Member therefor.

Given under Our Hands and Seals, at the City of Ottawa, this twenty-sixth day of October, 1939.

CLARENCE D. HOWE (L.S.),  
*Member for the Electoral District of Port Arthur,*

ERNEST LAPOINTE (L.S.),  
*Member for the Electoral District of Quebec East.*

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## ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SASKATOON CITY

Dominion of Canada	}	House of Commons
To Wit		

*To the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons:*

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons, for the Electoral District of Saskatoon City, in the Province of Saskatchewan, consequent upon the death of Dr. A. MacG. Young, the Member therefor.

Given under Our Hands and Seals, at the City of Ottawa, this twenty-sixth day of October, 1939.

JAMES G. GARDINER (L.S.),  
*Member for the Electoral District of Assiniboia,*

N. A. McLARTY (L.S.),  
*Member for the Electoral District of Essex West.*



## ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF ST. JAMES

Dominion of Canada	}	House of Commons
To Wit		

*To the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons:*

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons, for the Electoral District of St. James (Montreal), in the Province of Quebec, consequent upon the death of the Honourable Fernand Rinfret, the Member therefor.

Given under Our Hands and Seals, at the City of Ottawa, this twenty-sixth day of October, 1939.

CLARENCE D. HOWE (L.S.),  
*Member for the Electoral District of Port Arthur,*

ERNEST LAPOINTE (L.S.),  
*Member for the Electoral District of Quebec East.*

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## ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF PRINCE

Dominion of Canada	}	House of Commons
To Wit		

*To the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons:*

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons, for the Electoral District of Prince, in the Province of Prince Edward Island, consequent upon the death of Alfred Edgar MacLean, Member therefor.

Given under Our Hands and Seals, at the City of Ottawa, this fourteenth day of November, 1939.

J. L. ILSLEY (L.S.),  
*Member for the Electoral District of Digby-Annapolis-Kings,*

ERNEST LAPOINTE (L.S.),  
*Member for the Electoral District of Quebec East.*

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Mr. Speaker also informed the House that, during the recess, the Clerk of the House had received from the Chief Electoral Officer, Certificates of Election and Return of the following Members, viz:—

Of Douglas George Leopold Cunningham, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Calgary West.

Of Arthur Lisle Thompson, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Kent (Ontario).

Of Eugène Durocher, Esquire, for the Electoral District of St. James (Island of Montreal).

Of Elphège Marier, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Jacques Cartier (Island of Montreal).

Of the Honourable James Layton Ralston, for the Electoral District of Prince.

Of Walter George Brown, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Saskatoon City.

## CANADA

## OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

*To the Clerk of the House of Commons:*

This is to certify that pursuant to a writ dated on the twenty-eighth day of July, 1939, and addressed to J. A. Robertson, of Calgary, in the Province of Alberta, for the election of a member to serve in the House of Commons of Canada for the Electoral District of Calgary West in the place and stead of the Right Honourable Richard Bedford Bennett, who has resigned, Douglas George Leopold Cunningham, of Calgary, Alberta, insurance broker, has been returned as elected.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Ottawa this twenty-sixth day of September, 1939.

JULES CASTONGUAY, (L.S.)

*Chief Electoral Officer.*

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## CANADA

## OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

*To the Clerk of the House of Commons:*

This is to certify that pursuant to a writ dated on the twenty-sixth day of October, 1939, and addressed to John F. Fletcher, Esquire, of Chatham, in the Province of Ontario, for the election of a member to serve in the House of Commons of Canada for the Electoral District of Kent in the place and stead of James Warren Rutherford, who has departed this life, Arthur Lisle Thompson, of Chatham, Ontario, implement agent, has been returned as elected.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Ottawa this fourteenth day of December, 1939.

JULES CASTONGUAY, (L.S.)

*Chief Electoral Officer.*

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## CANADA

## OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

*To the Clerk of the House of Commons:*

This is to certify that pursuant to a writ dated on the twenty-seventh day of October, 1939, and addressed to Ernest Robillard, of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, for the election of a member to serve in the House of Commons of Canada for the Electoral District of St. James (Island of Montreal), in the place and stead of the Honourable Fernand Rinfret, who has departed this life, Eugène Durocher, 3775 St. Hubert Street, Montreal, Quebec, insurance broker, has been returned as elected.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Ottawa this twenty-ninth day of December, 1939.

JULES CASTONGUAY, (L.S.)

*Chief Electoral Officer.*

## CANADA

## OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

*To the Clerk of the House of Commons:*

This is to certify that pursuant to a writ dated on the twenty-seventh day of October, 1939, and addressed to Raymond Ranger, of Valois, in the Province of Quebec, for the election of a member to serve in the House of Commons of Canada for the Electoral District of Jacques Cartier (Island of Montreal), in the place and stead of Joseph Léon Vital Mallette, who has departed this life, Elphège Marier, 220 Bord du Lac, Pointe Claire, Quebec, barrister, has been returned as elected.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Ottawa this twenty-ninth day of December, 1939.

JULES CASTONGUAY, (L.S.),

*Chief Electoral Officer.*

## CANADA

## OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

*To the Clerk of the House of Commons:*

This is to certify that pursuant to a writ dated on the fourteenth day of November, 1939, and addressed to Charles R. Rogers, of Summerside, in the Province of Prince Edward Island, for the election of a member to serve in the House of Commons of Canada for the Electoral District of Prince, in the place and stead of Alfred Edgar MacLean, who has departed this life, Honourable James Layton Ralston, 3495 Holton Avenue, Montreal, Que., barrister, has been returned as elected.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Ottawa this eighth day of January, 1940.

JULES CASTONGUAY, (L.S.),

*Chief Electoral Officer.*

## CANADA

## OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

*To the Clerk of the House of Commons:*

This is to certify that pursuant to a writ dated on the twenty-sixth day of October, 1939, and addressed to G. A. Ferguson, of Saskatoon, in the Province of Saskatchewan, for the election of a Member to serve in the House of Commons of Canada for the Electoral District of Saskatoon City, in the place and stead of Alexander MacGillivray Young, who has departed this life, Walter George Brown, 535 24th Street East, Saskatoon, Sask., Presbyterian Minister, has been returned as elected.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Ottawa this tenth day of January, 1940.

JULES CASTONGUAY, (L.S.),

*Chief Electoral Officer.*

The following members, having previously taken the Oath according to Law, and subscribed the Roll containing the same, took their seats in the House:—

Honourable James Layton Ralston, for the Electoral District of Prince. Arthur Lisle Thompson, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Kent (Ontario).

Eugène Durocher, Esquire, for the Electoral District of St. James (Island of Montreal).

Elphège Marier, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Jacques Cartier (Island of Montreal).

Douglas George Leopold Cunnington, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Calgary West.

Walter George Brown, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Saskatoon City.

Mr. Mackenzie King, by leave of the House, introduced a Bill, No. 1, An Act respecting the administration of Oaths of Office, which was read the first time.

Mr. Speaker reported, That when the House did attend His Excellency the Governor General this day in the Senate Chamber, His Excellency was pleased to make a speech to both Houses of Parliament, and to prevent mistakes, he had obtained a copy which he read to the House as follows:—

*Honourable Members of the Senate:*

*Members of the House of Commons:*

During the months which have elapsed since the close of the special session, my Ministers have given unremitting attention to the organization and prosecution of Canada's war effort. The Government has been in constant consultation with the Government of the United Kingdom, and the measures adopted have been those which it is believed will best serve the common cause.

Vigorous action has been taken through all branches of the armed forces to provide for the security and defence of Canada, and for co-operation with the Allied forces on land, on sea and in the air.

For the effective prosecution of the war, Canada's industrial, financial and other resources are being steadily mobilized and all war activities co-ordinated. The production and marketing of agricultural and other primary products have been given constructive direction; and safeguards have been provided against undue enhancement, under war conditions, of the prices of food, fuel and other necessities of life.

Since last you met the developments of the war have made increasingly clear the nature of the struggle in which we are engaged. The very existence of nations that cherish independence and democratic ideals is menaced by enemy forces of ruthless aggression which aim to dominate mankind by terror and violence. The Canadian people have shown their determination to share with Britain and France to the utmost of their strength in the defence of freedom.

My Ministers are of the opinion that the effective prosecution of the war makes it imperative that those who are charged with the grave responsibility of carrying on the government of Canada should, in this critical period, be fortified by a direct and unquestioned mandate from the people. My advisers, accordingly, having regard to existing conditions and the stage of the life of the present Parliament, have decided upon an immediate appeal to the country.

*Honourable Members of the Senate:*

*Members of the House of Commons:*

In all that pertains to the discharge of your responsible duties, may Divine Providence be your strength and guide.

Mr. Mackenzie King, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copies of Emergency Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act, between September 12, 1939 and January 17, 1940, bearing on the War in Europe, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 2435, dated September 12, 1939: regulation regarding the requisitioning of property other than land.

Order in Council P.C. 2629, dated September 11, 1939: giving authority to capture and seize all German ships.

Order in Council P.C. 2635, dated September 11, 1939: authorizing regulations *re* sale and regulations of Codeine.

Order in Council P.C. 2637, dated September 18, 1939: appointing E. H. Coleman, K.C., LL.D., Under-Secretary of State, as Chairman of the Voluntary Service Registration Bureau, set up by Order in Council P.C. 2620, dated September 9, 1939, as amended; and appointing Major J. F. Cummins, Miss E. E. Saunders, Major M. F. Gregg, V.C.; as Members thereof.

Order in Council P.C. 2638, dated September 14, 1939: authorizing ships of the Royal Canadian Navy to co-operate with the Royal Navy.

Order in Council P.C. 2646, dated September 14, 1939: rescinding Order in Council P.C. 2580, dated September 7, 1939, which authorized the appointment of Mr. Oswald Mayrand, former Director of the Canadian Press, Montreal, as a Member of the Censorship Co-ordination Committee.

Order in Council P.C. 2652, dated September 14, 1939: authorizing compensation for persons engaged in postal censorship.

Order in Council P.C. 2653, dated September 14, 1939: establishing regulations respecting entry of enemy aliens.

Order in Council P.C. 2654, dated September 12, 1939: establishing a Committee of Public Information.

Order in Council P.C. 2677, dated September 14, 1939: creating a Special Reserve of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Order in Council P.C. 2682, dated September 14, 1939: establishing Prize Court Rules.

Order in Council P.C. 2696, dated September 15, 1939: establishing the War Supply Board.

Order in Council P.C. 2697, dated September 15, 1939: appointing Gordon W. Scott, Esquire, of Montreal, and Watson Sellar, Esquire, Comptroller of the Treasury, Joint Directors for the purpose of making plans regarding the personnel, accommodation and general organization of the War Supply Board.

Order in Council P.C. 2698, dated September 14, 1939: establishing an Economic Advisory Committee.

Order in Council P.C. 2709, dated September 15, 1939: authorizing Defence Purchasing Board Regulations *re* contracts.

Order in Council P.C. 2716, dated September 15, 1939: creating Foreign Exchange Control Board and Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 2722, dated September 15, 1939: amending Order in Council P.C. 2515, dated September 3, 1939, which appointed Walter S. Thompson, Esquire, as Chairman of the Censorship Co-ordination Committee—changing his title to Director of Censorship.

Order in Council P.C. 2734, dated September 18, 1939: appointing David C. Dick, Esquire, of Cobourg, Ontario, as Wool Administrator.

Order in Council P.C. 2735, dated September 18, 1939: restricting export of certain kinds of wool.

Order in Council P.C. 2757, dated September 20, 1939: appointing Miss E. H. Kearns, presently employed in the office of the Auditor General, as Registrar of all Orders in Council passed under the War Measures Act.

Order in Council P.C. 2773, dated September 20, 1939: appointing W. R. Campbell, Esquire, of Windsor, Ont., Chairman of the War Supply Board, and Robt. C. Vaughan, Esquire, of Montreal, Que., as Vice-Chairman and Director of Purchasing of the War Supply Board, to serve without salary.

Order in Council P.C. 2785, dated September 20, 1939: restricting exportation of certain articles from Canada which might be deemed capable of being converted into, or made useful in the production of, munitions supplies for enemy countries.

Order in Council P.C. 2788, dated September 21, 1939: respecting the powers to be exercised by the two Associate Acting Deputy Ministers of National Defence; and also allowances to dependents thereof.

Order in Council P.C. 2815, dated September 22, 1939: requisitioning of ships, etc., and appointing an Advisory Board in connection therewith.

Order in Council P.C. 2825, dated September 25, 1939: appointment of Judge F. L. Smiley, W. P. J. O'Meara, K.C., and J. Fortier, as Members of an Advisory Committee to consider objections made *re* arrest of persons under the Defence of Canada Regulations—allowances.

Order in Council P.C. 23/2838, dated September 26, 1939: exempting expense account of R. C. Vaughan, Esquire, as Chairman of the Defence Purchasing Board, from July 14 to August 24, 1939, inclusive, from the Requirements of the Travelling Expense Regulations; and subsequently granting an allowance of \$20 per diem from August 25, 1939.

Order in Council P.C. 2845, dated September 25, 1939: regulating sales tax on gas and electricity.

Order in Council P.C. 2852, dated September 25, 1939: amending Foreign Exchange Control Order, respecting the sale of foreign securities.

Order in Council P.C. 2853, dated September 25, 1939: authorizing purchase of British Columbia and Nova Scotia apples, and entering into agreements with the Okanagan Federated Shippers Association Incorporated, and the Central Selling Agency in Nova Scotia in connection therewith.

Order in Council P.C. 2876, dated September 27, 1939: appointing Captain Joseph Gustave Raymond as Vice-Chairman of the Dependents' Allowance Board in place of Lieut.-Col. Hugues Lemoyne deMartigny.

Order in Council P.C. 2881, dated September 27, 1939: authorizing a Proclamation setting apart Sunday, October 8, 1939, as a day of humble prayer and intercession to Almighty God touching the War in which Canada is now engaged.

Order in Council P.C. 2882, dated September 27, 1939: authorizing appointment of Press and Film Censorship personnel with compensations.

Order in Council P.C. 2891, dated September 27, 1939: amending Defence of Canada Regulations *re* printing of prejudicial statements.

Order in Council P.C. 2892, dated September 27, 1939: amending Prize Court Regulations established under Order in Council P.C. 2489, dated September 5, 1939.

Order in Council P.C. 2893, dated September 27, 1939: appointing S. R. M. Hodgins, Esquire, of Macdonald College, as Secretary of the Agricultural Supplies Committee at a salary of \$400 per month.

Order in Council P.C. 2894, dated September 27, 1939: respecting remuneration to be paid to examiners engaged in Postal Censorship of letters written in uncommon languages.

Order in Council P.C. 2896, dated September 27, 1939: amending Regulations of the Defence Purchasing Board respecting contracts.

Order in Council P.C. 2905, dated September 27, 1939: entering into an Agreement with the Ontario Fruit Export Association for the purchase of Ontario apples.

Order in Council P.C. 2921, dated September 28, 1939: authorizing War Supply Board to act as Agent for British Purchasing Mission.

Order in Council P.C. 2926, dated September 29, 1939: amending Defence of Canada Regulations *re* trespassing on premises used for the purpose of essential services such as electricity, gas or waterworks, sewage plants, municipal services, property and utilities.

Order in Council P.C. 2929, dated September 29, 1939: amending Defence of Canada Regulations *re* Senior Police Officers, Royal Canadian Mounted Police—search of premises, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 2851, dated October 3, 1939: appointing S. R. Noble, Esquire, of Montreal, as Sugar Administrator, with a living allowance of \$20 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 2906, dated October 5, 1939: authorizing purchase and sale of fibre flax seed.

Order in Council P.C. 2975, dated October 3, 1939: appointing Maurice Samson, Esquire, of Quebec, as Hides and Leather Administrator, with a living allowance of \$20 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 2976, dated October 3, 1939: appointing H. J. Hobbins, Esquire, Montreal, as Technical Advisor to the Sugar Administrator, with actual travelling and living expenses.

Order in Council P.C. 2997, dated October 5, 1939: prohibiting export of chum salmon in fresh state.

Order in Council P.C. 3004, dated October 5, 1939: authorizing hospitalization—Naval, Military and Air Forces—Pensions and National Health.

Order in Council P.C. 3005, dated October 5, 1939: amending Pensions and National Health Act, Statutes 1928—Hospitalization, Naval, Military and Air Forces.

Order in Council P.C. 3021, dated October 5, 1939: appointing Gordon W. Scott, C.A., as Administrative Secretary of the War Supply Board, with a living allowance of \$20 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3022, dated October 5, 1939: authorizing appointment of Mr. Henry Borden, as Counsel to the War Supply Board with a living allowance of \$15 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3023, dated October 5, 1939: appointing Mr. John Eaton, formerly of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, as Purchasing Agent of the War Supply Board at a salary of \$750 per month.

Order in Council P.C. 3024, dated October 5, 1939: appointing Major W. G. Swan as Officer in Charge of Construction Work under the War Supply Board at a salary of \$750 per month.

Order in Council P.C. 3025, dated October 5, 1939: appointing Mr. W. J. Sanderson, formerly President and General Manager of Fleet Aircraft Limited, as the Officer in Charge of the Aviation Branch of the War Supply Board, at a salary of \$833.33 per month.

Order in Council P.C. 3026, dated October 5, 1939: appointing Mr. Edward Fitzgerald, formerly with the Imperial Munitions Board, to perform services in connection with the production and purchase of munitions of war and supplies under the War Supply Board, with a living allowance of \$20 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3027, dated October 5, 1939: appointing Mr. A. J. Martin, as personal secretary to the Chairman of the War Supply Board, at a salary of \$333.33 per month.

Order in Council P.C. 3031, dated October 5, 1939: appointing C. E. Gravel, Esquire, of Montreal, as a Member of the War Supply Board, to serve without remuneration.

Order in Council P.C. 3040, dated October 11, 1939: appointing Judge L. A. Audette, H. Aldous Aylen, K.C., and Lee A. Kelley, K.C., a Commission under the provisions of the Naturalization Act to enquire into and report upon revocation of naturalization certificates.

Order in Council P.C. 3041, dated October 11, 1939: respecting naturalization of aliens.

Order in Council P.C. 3042, dated October 11, 1939: prohibiting the use or possession of firearms, ammunition, dynamite, etc., by enemy aliens.

Order in Council P.C. 3052, dated October 11, 1939: appointing Judge Denis Murphy, of British Columbia, as Chairman of the Advisory Board for the Pacific Coast region respecting compensation to be made for vessels requisitioned for war services.

Order in Council P.C. 3053, dated October 11, 1939: appointing Judge M. B. Archibald, of Nova Scotia, as Chairman of the Advisory Board for the Great Lakes, River St. Lawrence and Atlantic Coast regions respecting compensation to be made for vessels requisitioned for war services.

Order in Council P.C. 3057, dated October 12, 1939: appointing Mr. Aubrey Davis, of Newmarket, Ontario, to act in a supervisory capacity under the War Supply Board with respect to the purchase of leather and leather goods, with a living allowance of \$15 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3060, dated October 11, 1939: closing portion of Welland River to navigation.



Order in Council P.C. 3061, dated October 11, 1939: authorizing printing and distribution of copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act.

Order in Council P.C. 3065, dated October 11, 1939: extending time, etc., with regard to Mining Rights of holders enlisting with British or Allied Forces.

Order in Council P.C. 3093, dated October 12, 1939: granting pardon, under certain circumstances, to deserters from permanent forces, on re-enlisting.

Order in Council P.C. 3105, dated October 12, 1939: authorizing purchase of railway equipment for the Canadian National Railway and the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Order in Council P.C. 3108, dated October 12, 1939: empowering convenor of the sub-Committee of Council on Public Information to designate a member of the Public Service of Canada for the purpose of signing requisitions for stationery supplies, etc., for the said sub-Committee.

Order in Council P.C. 3109, dated October 12, 1939: amending Defence Purchasing Board Regulations respecting a quorum, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 3114, dated October 12, 1939: respecting Civil Servants' Insurance—War endorsement *re* enlisted Civil Servants.

Order in Council P.C. 3115, dated October 12, 1939: authorizing living expenses of \$15 per diem to Walter S. Thompson, as Director of Censorship.

Order in Council P.C. 3116, dated October 12, 1939: appointing Henry Brown, Esquire, of Toronto, as Technical Advisor to the Wool Administrator, with actual travelling and living expenses.

Order in Council P.C. 3117, dated October 18, 1939: appointing James McGregor Stewart, Esquire, K.C., of Halifax, N.S., as Coal Administrator, with living allowance of \$20 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3118, dated October 19, 1939: seconding Frank G. Neate, Esquire, of Ottawa, Secretary of the Dominion Fuel Board to serve as Technical Advisor to the Coal Administrator.

Order in Council P.C. 3119, dated October 12, 1939: regulating discharge to pension of Naval Officers and ratings.

Order in Council P.C. 3120, dated October 21, 1939: authorizing the supervision and direction of the Central Investigation Committee of the Department of National Defence by the War Supply Board.

Order in Council P.C. 3121, dated October 19, 1939: transferring control, temporarily to the War Supply Board, of the employees of the Contracts Branch of the Department of National Defence, at their current rates of compensation.

Order in Council P.C. 3122, dated October 12, 1939: authorizing increase in strength of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Order in Council P.C. 3124, dated October 12, 1939: regulating manufacture and export of fertilizers.

Order in Council P.C. 3136, dated October 18, 1939: protecting mining rights under Yukon Quartz and Placer Mining Acts of holders enlisting with British or Allied Forces.

Order in Council P.C. 3139, dated October 18, 1939: amending Defence of Canada Regulations—penalties for offences.

Order in Council P.C. 3158, dated October 18, 1939: granting Brigadier General E. deB. Panet, C.M.G., D.S.O., a living allowance of \$10 per diem as Director of Internment Operations.

Order in Council P.C. 3172, dated October 18, 1939: appointing Mr. C. W. Sherman, President of Dominion Foundries and Steel Limited, as the Officer in Charge of all matters having to deal with steel, with such duties or title as the War Supply Board may describe, with a living allowance of \$15 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3173, dated October 18, 1939: appointing Mr. J. A. D. McCurdy as Assistant Director of the Aircraft Division under the War Supply Board, with a living allowance of \$15 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3177, dated October 18, 1939: respecting the purchase and maintenance of motor vehicles.

Order in Council P.C. 3183, dated October 18, 1939: regulating the Sale of Codeine.

Order in Council P.C. 3184, dated October 18, 1939: authorizing the setting aside of the sum of \$7,000 to meet transportation and incidental expenses of a Canadian Delegation consisting of the Honourable T. A. Crerar and advisors to London, England.

Order in Council P.C. 3185, dated October 18, 1939: authorizing an allowance of \$50 per week to each of the advisors accompanying the Hon. T. A. Crerar to London, England.

Order in Council P.C. 3187, dated October 18, 1939: amending Nova Scotia Apple Agreement authorized by Order in Council P.C. 2853, dated September 25, 1939.

Order in Council P.C. 3204, dated October 21, 1939: authorizing certain expenditures for destitute families of interned enemy aliens in Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 3223, dated October 21, 1939: regulating purchase and importation of sugar.

Order in Council P.C. 3224, dated October 19, 1939: seconding Sidney Jones, Esquire, of Ottawa, to the War Time Prices and Trade Board, to serve as Technical Advisor to the Hides and Leather Administrator.

Order in Council P.C. 3245, dated October 19, 1939: appointing Mr. H. B. Chase, as Director of Industrial Relations under the War Supply Board at a salary of \$645.70 per month with an allowance of \$75 per month for living expenses while in Ottawa.

Order in Council P.C. 3275, dated October 25, 1939: reducing to \$10 per diem the living allowance of Mr. Walter S. Thompson as Director of Censorship.

Order in Council P.C. 3292, dated October 25, 1939: authorizing purchase of certified seed potatoes.

Order in Council P.C. 3293, dated October 25, 1939: amending Order in Council P.C. 2906, dated October 5, 1939, respecting freight on shipments of fibre flax seed.

Order in Council P.C. 3294, dated October 25, 1939: respecting an advertising campaign in connection with the marketing of apples carried on by the Canadian Advertising Agency Limited, Montreal, and authorizing an expenditure of \$109,520.33 in connection therewith.

Order in Council P.C. 3295, dated October 25, 1939: authorizing appointment of fruit advertising and merchandising experts in connection with the apple advertising campaign.

Order in Council P.C. 3296, dated October 25, 1939: authorizing reduction of non-commissioned officers to lower grades, Royal Canadian Air Force.

Order in Council P.C. 3297, dated October 25, 1939: temporarily rescinding right to retire—permanent active militia and permanent active air force.

Order in Council P.C. 3298, dated October 25, 1939: appointing Harry Dell Anger, Esquire, K.C., of Toronto, as Solicitor to the War Time Prices and Trade Board at a salary of \$450 per month.

Order in Council P.C. 3299, dated October 25, 1939: respecting the purchase of railway equipment for the Canadian National Railway and the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Order in Council P.C. 3300, dated October 25, 1939: authorizing War Supply Board to assume duties of Defence Purchasing Board.

Order in Council P.C. 3342, dated October 26, 1939: respecting registration of enemy aliens.

Order in Council P.C. 3357, dated October 27, 1939: respecting the appointment of an Officer to be known as the Transport Controller. (Cancelled by Order in Council P.C. 3676, dated November 15, 1939.)

Order in Council P.C. 3174, dated November 1, 1939: amending regulations of the War Supply Board.

Order in Council P.C. 3349, dated October 27, 1939: amending Agreement *re* marketing of apples grown in British Columbia, and entering into an Agreement with the Okanagan Federated Shippers Association Incorporated in connection therewith.

Order in Council P.C. 3358, dated November 10, 1939: authorizing compensation to Canadian salt-water fishermen who may suffer personal losses as a result of enemy action.

Order in Council P.C. 3359, dated November 10, 1939: authorizing pensions to Canadian salt-water fishermen who may suffer disability or death as a result of enemy warlike action.

Order in Council P.C. 3362, dated October 27, 1939: respecting Patents, Designs, Copyrights and Trademarks.

Order in Council P.C. 3391, dated November 2, 1939: with respect to The Visiting Forces (British Commonwealth) Act, 1933.

Order in Council P.C. 3249, dated November 2, 1939: appointing Colonel the Hon. P. J. Montague, C.M.G., D.S.O., M.C., Judge of King's Bench for Manitoba, as Deputy Judge Advocate General in respect of the Military and Air Forces of Canada serving in the United Kingdom.

Order in Council P.C. 3444, dated November 2, 1939: authorizing increase in number of special constables of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Order in Council P.C. 3470, dated November 2, 1939: approving licensing of dealers in coal or coke.

Order in Council P.C. 3492, dated November 10, 1939: authorizing medical care, etc., to Canadian salt-water fishermen.

Order in Council P.C. 3495, dated November 7, 1939: authorizing Industrial Disputes Investigation Act to apply to Government War Contracts.

Order in Council P.C. 3523, dated November 7, 1939: authorizing employment of Mr. F. Campbell Cope, Advocate, by the War Supply Board, with a living allowance of \$15 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3524, dated November 7, 1939: authorizing employment of Mr. J. P. Macfarlane, K.C., Barrister, by the War Supply Board, with a living allowance of \$15 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3525, dated November 7, 1939: authorizing employment of Mr. R. H. Littlejohn, Barrister, by the War Supply Board, with a living allowance of \$15 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3526, dated November 7, 1939: authorizing employment of Mr. K. B. Palmer, Barrister, by the War Supply Board, with a living allowance of \$15 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3527, dated November 7, 1939: authorizing the employment of Mr. G. C. Papineau-Couture, K.C., Advocate, by the War Supply Board, with a living allowance of \$20 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3531, dated November 7, 1939: requiring stiffening in Canadian ships.

Order in Council P.C. 3532, dated November 7, 1939: authorizing issue of licences for export of fibre flax seed.

Order in Council P.C. 3556, dated November 9, 1939: authorizing Department of National Defence to lease accommodation for Naval, Military and Air Forces.

Order in Council P.C. 38/3571, dated November 9, 1939: allocating the sum of \$150,000 to the National Research Council for the purpose of employing temporarily such scientific, technical and other staff as it may find necessary from time to time, to assist industry in the solution of problems relating to Canada's war effort.

Order in Council P.C. 77/3571, dated November 9, 1939: providing protection to ex-members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who are civil servants and who re-engaged for service during the present war, as regards leave of absence, superannuation, statutory increases, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 89/3571, dated November 9, 1939: allocating the sum of \$20,000 to the Department of Pensions and National Health for investigations respecting Dependents' allowances.

Order in Council P.C. 3572, dated November 9, 1939: authorizing the issue of licence to a trawler of French registration.

Order in Council P.C. 3607, dated November 14, 1939: amending Order in Council P.C. 3042, dated October 11, 1939, respecting the use or possession of firearms, etc., by enemy aliens.

Order in Council P.C. 3613, dated November 23, 1939: issuing two trawler fishing licences to General Seafoods, Limited, of Halifax, N.S.

Order in Council P.C. 3623, dated November 14, 1939: amending Defence of Canada Regulations respecting the registration of aliens.

Order in Council P.C. 3692, dated November 17, 1939: amending Order in Council P.C. 2621, dated September 9, 1939, respecting the Agricultural Supplies Committee.

Order in Council P.C. 3675, dated November 15, 1939: extending term of service—officers and ratings—Royal Canadian Navy.

Order in Council P.C. 3676, dated November 15, 1939: cancelling Order in Council P.C. 3357, dated October 27, 1939, providing for the appointment of a Transport Controller.

Order in Council P.C. 3677, dated November 15, 1939: authorizing appointment of Transport Controller, with staff.

Order in Council P.C. 3691, dated November 17, 1939: amending Order in Council P.C. 2516, dated September 3, 1939—necessaries of life.

Order in Council P.C. 3693, dated November 17, 1939: amending Order in Council P.C. 3124, dated October 12, 1939, respecting licences for export of fertilizers.

Order in Council P.C. 3694, dated November 17, 1939: amending Order in Council P.C. 3183, dated October 18, 1939, respecting the sale of Codeine.

Order in Council P.C. 3710, dated November 17, 1939: authorizing development of aerodromes by Minister of Transport.

Order in Council P.C. 3711, dated November 17, 1939: authorizing form of agreement for the purchase of certified seed potatoes.

Order in Council P.C. 3712, dated November 17, 1939: authorizing payment in respect of aircraft for the United Kingdom.

Order in Council P.C. 3731, dated November 17, 1939: authorizing censorship regulations for the Port of Halifax.

Order in Council P.C. 3732, dated November 17, 1939: authorizing co-operation of the Royal Canadian Navy with Royal Navy and cancelling Order in Council P.C. 2638, dated September 14, 1939, in connection therewith.

Order in Council P.C. 3776, dated November 22, 1939: authorizing Wartime Prices and Trade Board to fix maximum prices for wool.

Order in Council P.C. 3784, dated November 22, 1939: authorizing E. A. Bromley to be assigned to certain duties with respect to War Purchases with a living allowance of \$10 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 3785, dated November 22, 1939: amending Order in Council P.C. 2815, dated September 22, 1939, directing that no account shall be taken of appreciation in value of ships requisitioned.

Order in Council P.C. 3786, dated November 23, 1939: making War Supply Board responsible to Minister of Transport.

Order in Council P.C. 3799, dated November 22, 1939: amending Foreign Exchange Control Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 3801, dated November 23, 1939: amending Agreement authorized by Order in Council P.C. 3187, dated October 18, 1939, respecting the processing of apples grown in Nova Scotia.

Order in Council P.C. 3802, dated November 23, 1939: amending Order in Council P.C. 3391, dated November 2, 1939,—The Visiting Forces Act, 1933.

Order in Council P.C. 3812, dated November 23, 1939: amending Defence of Canada Regulation No. 26—Tribunals—Appeals of interned aliens.

Order in Council P.C. 12/3854, dated November 28, 1939: respecting the services of such members of the staff of the Defence Purchasing Board as may be deemed necessary for the requirements of the War Supply Board.

Order in Council P.C. 13/3854, dated November 28, 1939: respecting the employment of certain technical employees by the War Supply Board.

Order in Council P.C. 79/3854, dated November 28, 1939: allocating the sum of \$25,000 to the Department of Justice for expenses in connection with the administration of the Defence of Canada Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 3867, dated November 28, 1939: setting up Air Port Zoning Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 3878, dated November 28, 1939: amending Foreign Exchange Control Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 3987, dated December 5, 1939: establishing Regulations to control the flying of civil aircraft.

Order in Council P.C. 3988, dated December 5, 1939: establishing Regulations for discipline—members, Naval, Militia and Air Forces receiving medical care.

Order in Council P.C. 3998, dated December 5, 1939: amending Regulations of the War Time Prices and Trade Board, respecting necessities of life in time of war.

Order in Council P.C. 4017-1/2, dated December 5, 1939: amending Order in Council P.C. 2474, dated August 30, 1939, constituting Committees of the Cabinet.

Order in Council P.C. 4022, dated December 5, 1939: approving financial Regulations *re* Canadian Active Service Force overseas.

Order in Council P.C. 4024, dated December 5, 1939: authorizing enlistment for sedentary clerical duties.

Order in Council P.C. 4043, dated December 8, 1939: appointing William Cullham Woodward, Esquire, of Vancouver, B.C., as a member of the War Supply Board to serve without remuneration.

Order in Council P.C. 4048, dated December 8, 1939: appointing Robert A. C. Henry, of Montreal, as Executive Assistant to the Minister of Transport, with a living allowance of \$15 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 4064, dated December 8, 1939: authorizing living allowance of \$15 per diem to be paid to Mr. Justice James Duncan Hyndman, who has been appointed a tribunal within the meaning of Regulation 26 of the Defence of Canada Regulations, as amended—Appeals of Interned enemy aliens.

Order in Council P.C. 4068-1/2, dated December 8, 1939: Constituting Special Committee of the Cabinet on Demobilization.

Order in Council P.C. 4070, dated December 8, 1939: authorizing payment of the sum of \$13,000 to the Canadian Advertising Agency Limited, Montreal, Quebec, in connection with the advertising of hog products in the Canadian and United Kingdom markets.

Order in Council P.C. 4072, dated December 8, 1939: accepting resignation of Walter S. Thompson, Esquire, as Director of Censorship and appointing Col. Maurice A. Pope, of the Department of National Defence, Chairman of the Censorship Co-Ordination Committee.

Order in Council P.C. 4073, dated December 8, 1939: appointing Walter S. Thompson, Esquire, of the City of Montreal, Quebec, as Director of Public Information, with a living allowance of \$15 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 4076, dated December 13, 1939: setting up a Bacon Board.

Order in Council P.C. 4120, dated December 13, 1939: approving financial regulations of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Order in Council P.C. 4121, dated December 13, 1939: establishing regulations—discipline among and treatment of prisoners of war.

Order in Council P.C. 4122, dated December 13, 1939: authorizing the reduction in rank of Warrant Officers and Non-commissioned Officers.

Order in Council P.C. 4129, dated December 20, 1939: authorizing free postage of correspondence by members of Overseas Forces.

Order in Council P.C. 4169, dated December 14, 1939: Canadian Government acting as Agent of the Government of any British or Foreign Country allied with His Majesty.

Order in Council P.C. 4173, dated December 20, 1939: naming the members of the Advisory Committee of the Bacon Board, to act without remuneration.

Order in Council P.C. 4182, dated December 20, 1939: allocating the sum of \$50,000 to the Civil Aviation Branch of the Department of Transport in connection with the development of aerodrome sites in Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 31/4204, dated December 21, 1939: allocating the sum of \$3,000 to the Customs and Excise Division of the Department of National Revenue for expenses in connection with the censorship of newspapers and other Canadian publications.

Order in Council P.C. 74/4204, dated December 21, 1939: appointing Warren Baldwin and Bertram B. Perry as Assistant Censors at the Toronto Office, at a salary of \$10 per diem.

Order in Council P. C. 75/4204, dated December 21, 1939: appointing Henry Bruce Jefferson as Assistant Censor at Halifax at a salary of \$10 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 85/4204, dated December 21, 1939: allocating the sum of \$25,000 to the Department of Transport in connection with the establishment of the office of the Transport Controller.

Order in Council P.C. 4230, dated December 20, 1939: authorizing purchase of the property of the Eglinton Hunt Club for the purposes of a training school for the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Order in Council P.C. 4248, dated December 20, 1939: amending regulations of the Bacon Board.

Order in Council P.C. 4249, dated December 20, 1939: naming the members of the Bacon Board, all appointees to act without remuneration.

Order in Council P.C. 4251, dated December 20, 1939: setting up Canadian Shipping Board.

Order in Council P.C. 4252, dated December 20, 1939: appointing J. G. Parmelee, Esquire, Chairman of the Canadian Shipping Board.

Order in Council P.C. 4253, dated December 20, 1939: authorizing honorarium of \$500 annually to Henry Brown, Esquire, of Toronto, as Technical Advisor to the Wool Administrator.

Order in Council P.C. 4262, dated December 20, 1939: designating certain persons living in neutral countries—enemies.

Order in Council P.C. 4284, dated December 21, 1939: appointing L. W. Brockington, Esquire, K.C., as Recorder of Canada's War Effort and Counsellor (in the above respects) to the War Committee of the Cabinet, at a salary of \$750 per month, and a living allowance of \$12 per diem.

Order in Council P.C. 4353, dated December 27, 1939: amending Bacon Board regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 4355, dated December 27, 1939: authorizing regulations for the marketing of Nova Scotia apples.

Order in Council P.C. 4357, dated December 27, 1939: authorizing Proclamation—Canadian Shipping Board.

Order in Council P.C. 14, dated January 4, 1940: authorizing grant to the Y.M.C.A., Halifax, and the Salvation Army, Halifax, in connection with the running of two hostels in that City.

Order in Council P.C. 37, dated January 4, 1940: respecting the dissemination of information prejudicial to the safety of the State.

Order in Council P.C. 14/38, dated January 4, 1940: appointing James M. MacDonald as Economic Advisor to the staff of the War Time Prices and Trade Board at a salary of \$450 per month.

Order in Council P.C. 74/38, dated January 4, 1940: allocating the sum of \$15,000 to the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation in connection with radio broadcasting censorship.

Order in Council P.C. 92, dated January 10, 1940: amending Order in Council P.C. 3060, dated October 11, 1939, closing portion of Welland River to Navigation.

Order in Council P.C. 3/99, dated January 10, 1940: granting living allowance of \$12 per diem to W. P. J. O'Meara, Assistant Under Secretary of State, and Jacques Fortier, Departmental Solicitor, Department of Transport, while hearing appeals of interned enemy aliens.

Order in Council P.C. 117, dated January 9, 1940: respecting the raising of loans by the Canadian Government.

Order in Council P.C. 108, dated January 13, 1940: respecting the compilation and publication of all Proclamations and Orders in Council passed under the provisions of The War Measures Act, between August 25, 1939, and December 31, 1939.



Order in Council P.C. 145, dated January 13, 1940: appointing B. J. Roberts, Esquire, to act as Financial Advisor to the Government of Canada as Administrator of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan.

Order in Council P.C. 146, dated January 17, 1940: amending the Defence of Canada Regulations respecting criticisms of the Government.

Order in Council P.C. 148, dated January 13, 1940: prohibiting the exportation of calves' stomachs used in the manufacture of rennet.

Order in Council P.C. 149, dated January 13, 1940: governing General and District Courts-Martial, for the trial of any member of the military and air forces of Canada at present in the United Kingdom.

Order in Council P.C. 187, dated January 17, 1940: establishing a Dependents' Allowance Board, Department of National Defence, to function in respect of all provisions relating to Dependents' Allowances.

Order in Council P.C. 188, dated January 17, 1940: amending regulations of the War Supply Board—Powers *re* Contracts.

Mr. Speaker laid before the House the Report of the General Librarian of Parliament, which is as follows:—

*To the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons:*

The General Librarian of Parliament has the honour to submit the Report on the Library for 1939.

Work on the Supplementary Catalogue of books donated and purchased during 1939 has been rapidly proceeded with and the Catalogue will be issued in a very short time.

On July 31st last, Mr. Oswald Soulière, French Cataloguer, who had been in the Library for twenty-eight years, was retired on superannuation. After competitive examinations, the Civil Service Commission appointed Mr. Lucien Lusignan to the vacant position. Mr. Lusignan is a Master of Commerce of the Montreal University and a graduate of the Library School of the same University. He had also previously been a Library Assistant since 1934.

The promotion of Mr. E. E. Trudel to the rank of French Senior Library Assistant created a vacancy in the position of Library Assistant. After having complied with the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Commission, Mr. Louis Tarte has been appointed to that position. Mr. Tarte is a B.A. of Ottawa University and a graduate of the Montreal University Library School.

The work of indexing the Catalogue on cards has been steadily going on.

During the year, some 80,000 volumes of Sessional Papers have been transferred to a large room in the Records Building allocated to the Library by the Minister of Public Works. While this does afford some relief, it does not settle the question of the congested state of the Library.

At the outbreak of war there was a great demand for British and Canadian documents published during and just after the last war; the Library fortunately had an adequate supply of these. Copies of all emergency legislation, white papers, and other documents were immediately ordered from England, and a standing order has been given to our English agents for all future publications.

The privileges of the Library have been given to the various visiting British missions.

There has been indeed a marked diminution in the output of books of general literature in England and France since the beginning of war; moreover the delivery of books from abroad has been delayed owing to the difficulty of

transport. Nevertheless, to both the English and French sections of the Library many new and important works on economic, international, and historical questions, et cetera, have been added during the past year.

Among the more interesting or valuable donations received during the year were *The Great Chronicle of London*, a gift from the Rt. Hon. The Viscount Wakefield of Hythe, G.C.V.O., and from Frederick John Nettleford, Esq., of London, the fourth and final volume of the Catalogue Raisonné of the pictures and drawings in his famous collection.

Respectfully submitted,

FELIX DESROCHERS,  
*General Librarian.*

Library of Parliament,  
Ottawa, January 25, 1940.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that he had appointed J. Laundry to be Acting Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms during the present Session.

At six o'clock Mr. Speaker left the Chair (for intermission).

PIERRE F. CASGRAIN,  
*Speaker.*

# PROCLAMATIONS *re* DISSOLUTION



TWEEDSMUIR,  
[L.S.]

CANADA

GEORGE THE SIXTH, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada, and the Members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, and to all whom it may concern,—GREETING:

## A PROCLAMATION

**W**HEREAS We have thought fit, by and with the advice and consent of Our Privy Council for Canada, to DISSOLVE the present Parliament of Canada.

NOW KNOW YE, that we do for that end publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby DISSOLVE the said Parliament of Canada accordingly; and the Senators and the Members of the House of Commons are discharged from their meeting and attendance forthwith.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved John, Baron Tweedsmuir of Elsfield, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Member of Our Order of the Companions of Honour, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our said Dominion, this twenty-fifth day of January in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty and in the fourth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

E. H. COLEMAN,  
Under-Secretary of State.

TWEEDSMUIR,  
[L.S.]

CANADA

GEORGE THE SIXTH, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To all to whom these Presents shall come,—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION

**W**HEREAS We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our People of Our Dominion of Canada, and to have their advice in Parliament.

We DO MAKE KNOWN Our Royal Will and pleasure to call a Parliament, and to further declare that by the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, We have this day given Orders for issuing Our WRITS in due form, for calling a Parliament in Our said Dominion, which Writs are to bear date of the twenty-seventh day of January, 1940, and to be returnable on the seventeenth day of April, 1940.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved John, Baron Tweedsmuir of Elsfield, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Member of Our Order of the Companions of Honour, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

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**K**NOW YE, that We being desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our People of Our Dominion of Canada, and to have their advice in Parliament, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, summon and call together the House of Commons in and for Our said Dominion, to meet at Our City of Ottawa, in Our said Dominion, on Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of April next, then and there to have conference and treaty with the Great Men and Senate of Our said Dominion.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved John, Baron Tweedsmuir of Elsfield, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Member of Our Order of the Companions of Honour, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

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